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WHICH ARE THEY?

The two kinds of people on earth, I mean
Are the people who lift and the people who
lead.

Wherever you go you will find the world's
masses
Are always divided in just these two classes.

And oddly enough, you will find, too, I
mean,
There is only one lifter to twenty who lean.

In which class are you? Are you easing the
load
Of overtaxed lifters who toil down the road?

Or are you a leaner who lets others bear
Your portion of labor and worry and care?
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

BUENOS AIRES AND MONTEVIDEO

On opposite sides of the wide
estuary of the Rio de la Plata, only
a few hours steaming distance apart,
lie two of South America's greatest
cities, Buenos Aires, capital of
Argentina, and Montevideo, capital
of Uruguay.

Buenos Aires means "good airs,"
or "delightful breezes," if one is
willing to translate less literally.
The city is not merely the capital
and chief port of a South American
republic. It is a world center—a
city of superlatives, contrasts and
paradoxes.

Its population of than more
2,000,000 makes it, by a wide
margin, the metropolis of South
America and the southern hemis-
phere. It is the greatest of Spanish-
speaking cities, having nearly three
times as many inhabitants as Madrid.
It is greater than any other Latin
city, except Paris. In the New
world it shares third place with
Philadelphia; only New York and
Chicago surpass it. And now that
Petrograd and Moscow have shrunk,
while Vienna is marking time, it
probably ranks or soon will rank as
the eighth city of the world, led only
by the three metropolises of Europe
(London, Berlin and Paris) the two
of North America (New York and
Chicago), and Tokyo and Osaka in
Asia.

This great city is the focus of the
culture, thought, politics, econom-
ics, and social life of Argentina,
as well as the funnel through which
pour the millions of pounds of dress-
ed meats and the millions of bush-
els of wheat which make up the
contribution of the republic to the
hungry peoples of the Old world.
Its language is the language of
Spain, but many other things Span-
ish have been thrust aside. Its in-
habitants would laugh at the idea of
a midday siesta—so generally ob-
served in most Spanish-American
countries. The rapid development
of Argentina has made innumerable
fortunes, and the stream of gold has
been poured lavishly into the lap of
Buenos Aires. In no other city,
perhaps, can one see so strikingly
displayed the evidences of extreme
opulence.

In progress and the possession of
vision the Buenos Aires people are
unsurpassed even by the restless
builders of North America's great-
est cities. For centuries after its
establishment, Buenos Aires was
without a port. Ships anchored
miles from the shallow, sandy shore,
and all freight was handled in light-
ers. Within the last twenty-five
years the municipality has construct-
ed the largest artificial docks in the
world. These provide adequate facil-
ities for the thousands of ocean ves-
sels and coasting craft that put
into its port annually.

The narrow checker-board of
streets in the business center which
the colonial Buenos Aires bequeath-
ed to the world-city of today, has
been a constant embarrassment in the
face of the demands of modern
business. The municipality has
widened some of these narrow ways
at a cost of many millions of dollars,
into stately and handsome avenues,
and is carving other arteries of traf-
fic diagonally through the closely
packed squares.

In the newer parts or the city
streets of ample width and numerous
broad avenues have been laid out.
Many of the avenues are lined with
the costly palaces of Argentina's
multi-millionaires. It is in this part
of the city and in such semi-business
avenues as the tree-trimmed Avenida
de Mayo with its mile or more of fine
hotels, clubs, cafes, and business

buildings de luxe, that Buenos Aires
reminds the traveler of Paris. The
comparison is forced on the observer
again when he drives in the afternoon
through Palermo park, the Bois de
Boulogne of Buenos Aires, and be-
comes a part of the seemingly inter-
minable procession of smart equip-
ages bearing their throng of well-
dressed men and women.

The men of Buenos Aires are up-
to-date in all things; but its women
are even ahead of the times. They
wear the latest Paris creations even
before they are donned by the Paris-
iennes themselves. Climate must be
given its rightful place in the ex-
planation of this paradox. Summer
models are designed in Paris in De-
cember, and the reversal of the sea-
sons south of the Equator makes
these seemingly premature creations
fitting attire in Buenos Aires in Jan-
uary and February, when they reach
the bean monde of that distant met-
ropolis. Buenos Aires is in the south
latitude corresponding to that of
Charleston, S. C., north of the
Equator, and has a climate somewhat
like that of the country between
Charleston and Norfolk, though
drier.

Montevideo, on the northern shore
of the estuary, presents in its tempo
something of a contrast to Buenos
Aires. Physically, it is situated so
that it is one of the healthiest cities
in the world, and it has an equable
climate, which makes it a delightful
place to live in. In addition, it pos-
sesses an atmosphere free from the
bustle and noise of the more modern
and commercial Buenos Aires and the
more metropolitan Rio. Because of
these features, Montevideo has be-
come the resort city of South Amer-
ica's Atlantic coast.

Thousands of wealthy South
Americans are to be found there at
nearly all seasons of the year, par-
ticipating in the carnivals, gamb-
ling in the great government-owned
casinos, that may be compared to
those of Monte Carlo, or merely
enjoying the restful life of this city,
which still clings to the Spanish
habit of looking to "manana."

Since Montevideo is in the south-
ern hemisphere, its seasons are the
reverse of those in the United States.

Visitors are especially numerous
for the bathing season, which begins
in October, corresponding to the
Northern May, and is at its height at
Christmas, the southern midsum-
mer.

Detached impressions of Monte-
video will bring to mind many sim-
iles and contrasts with better known
cities. Like New York it covers a
narrow strip of land from shore to
shore, in this case a peninsula. But
in architecture it is the antithesis of
the North American metropolis,
being made up of a seemingly vast
number of low stone buildings, a
few two or three stories in height,
the great majority of them but one
story. The principal thoroughfare,
"The Avenue of the Eighteenth of
July," extending along the ridge of
the peninsula, with its colonnades
and sidewalk cafes, gives a touch of
Paris. And as a great packing cen-
ter for the live stock produced on
the unsurpassed pastures of Uru-
guay, Montevideo is comparable to
Chicago or Kansas City. Evidence
of the fact is sometimes wafted on
the wind when it blows to the city
from the seat of the gigantic in-
dustry across the bay.

In physical equipment Monte-
video is modern. It is well lighted,
well watered, adequately supplied
with transportation facilities, and
most admirably drained. Socially
it clings to the past, following more
faithfully than any other large city,
outside of Spain and the Orient, the
old Spanish-Moorish traditions of
society's proper attitude toward
woman.

Courting is still carried on by
smitten swains parading below the
balconies of their senioritas and
whispering sweet nothings to them—
from a safe distance. Ladies go
freely on the streets, but not in the
company of men. "Society is main-
ly a matter of family parties. Even
at the opera there are separate gal-
leries for men and women, and unless
a Montevidean family man can afford
the price of orchestra seats, he must
view the production from one level
while his wife looks on from another.
A cloistered life can hardly be

said to have affected the appearance
of the women adversely. Through-
out South America, Montevideo has
the reputation formerly possessed by
Budapest of harboring the most beau-
tiful women of its continent.

Montevideo has nearly a score of
daily newspapers, and the voices of
a small army of newsboys are heard
constantly, except during an hour
and a half at midday, when a "ste-
sta" is enforced by law for all
business. With the voices of the
newsboys mingle those of youths
and derelict adults hawking govern-
ment lottery tickets or boxes of
matches, from the sale of which the
government also obtains revenue.

Just as Uruguay is free from phys-
ical extremes—it is without moun-
tains or gorges, deserts or jungles—
so Montevideo is without social ex-
tremes. It has no squalid slums
and no ostentatious "millionaires'
row." It may not inaptly be dubbed
a comfortable bourgeois paradise.

Montevideo is famed for its port,
which is one of the best on the At-
lantic coast of the Americas. The
city has a population of approxi-
mately 450,000, more than a quarter
of the population of the entire
72,000 square miles of the republic.

Canadian News

News items for this column, and subscrip-
tions, may be sent to Herbert W. Roberts,
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TORONTO TIDINGS

Mr. Clinton Parker, of Colborne,
was in to see us over the week-end
of September 7th.

Mrs. Gerald Hubbard, of Ottawa,
has returned home from a visit to
relatives and friends here.

Mr. John Matthews underwent an
operation for appendicitis late in
August and was unable to accompany
the regular contingent to the Belleville
school on September 11th. He will
leave later.

Mrs. Grace Greig and daughter, who
have been away over in England for a
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joined their husband and father here
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Owing to illness, Miss Adele Low-
son did not go back to school at Belle-
ville with the bunch on September
11th, but is going later.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Roberts and
the latter's sister, Mrs. George E.
Squirrel, went out and spent Septem-
ber 11th very enjoyably with cousins,
and in the meantime took motor trips
to Stouffville, Locust Hill, Green
River and Musselman Lake. Mr. and
Mrs. Roberts went out to the latter's
parental home near Purpleville next
day, where they are sojourning as these
items go off.

Miss Norma Carey had the misfor-
tune to dislocate her left arm recent-
ly, necessitating the carrying of it in
a sling. She will return to the Belle-
ville school as soon as her condition
warrants.

A pleasant surprise party was given
up for Mr. and Mrs. Horace Greig,
in honor of the latter's return from
beyond the herring pond, and a pleas-
ant evening was spent on September
11th.

The Rev. Samuel Stevenson gave a
very interesting and pointed sermon
at our church on September 8th. Mrs.
J. R. Byrne interpreted in her usual
pleasing way.

We were surprised to meet once
more our old friend and former Toron-
tonian, Mr. Thomas Hill, who with
his wife, blew into our midst from
Detroit, on September 8th, to greet old
acquaintances. Mr. Hill was formerly
a resident here, but this was our first
glimpse of Mrs. Hill.

Mrs. N. A. McGillivray returned
home on September 15th, from her two
weeks' visit to her parental home down
in St. John's, Que., where she had a
lovely time.

Our weekly Epworth League resum-

ed its activity once more on September
11th, after its summer dormancy.

Mr. Herbert McKenzie and Mr. Eli
Corbieri, of Aurora, motored down
and took in our big exhibition on the last
day of the show and had a very good
time.

WATERLOO WEE BITS

Miss Grace Watts, of Thedford, at-
tended the big picnic at Springbank
Park, near London, on Labor Day, and
was accompanied by Miss Marybella
Russell, of Ailsa Craig, and both had
a grand time meeting many of their
old schoolmates and making new
friends.

Miss Beverly Moynihan, accom-
panied by a few friends, enjoyed Labor
Day most pleasantly by taking an auto
trip down to Hamilton.

Mr. George Moore, of London, and
Mr. and Mrs. James P. Orr, of Mil-
verton, passed through here on the way
to spend the Labor Day recess at Mrs.
Orr's old home in Breslau, and they
took a trip to Toronto in the mean-
time.

The two deaf sons of Mr. Allen
Nahrgang, of Kitchener, as well as
many other youngsters of this vicinity,
left on September 11th, for another
term at the Belleville school.

BORDER BREEZES

Miss Theresa Marie Charbonneau,
of Riverside, the only and accomplished
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon
Charbonneau, has returned home from
a very delightful visit of a week with
her friends in South Sandwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ball, of De-
troit, are home again from a wonderful
auto trip to Chicago. While in the
"Windy City," which was the first
time they had been there, they saw
many memory-lasting sights. They
were accompanied by their only daugh-
ter, Hazel, and her husband and Stan-
ley Ball.

Mr. Frank Ball, of Dunkirk, N. Y.,
has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Cas.
Sadows, Mrs. William Riberdy and his
brother, Edward Ball, in Detroit lately,
and all were mighty glad to meet again
after an absence of over twenty years.
Frank is the youngest in the Ball
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas. Sadows enjoyed a
respite from their daily toil and went
out for into the open country by a
cooling lake for the Labor Day recess.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald, of
Windsor, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon
Charbonneau, of Riverside, were re-
cently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Gottlieb in Detroit. We regret to say
that Mr. Gottlieb has been far from
well for the past few weeks and intends
taking a prolonged rest.

The Riberdys and Mr. Frank Sa-
dows have returned to their home in
Detroit from their long auto trip, dur-
ing which they saw a good deal of the
world in distant parts. They entered
Canada via Port Huron, and traveled
through Strathroy, London, Wood-
stock, Brantford, Hamilton, Toronto,
Belleville, Kingston, Brockville and
along the northern bank of the St.
Lawrence River to Montreal. Cross-
ing the boundary at a point further on,
they struck off for Albany and Cohoes,
N. Y., then to Springfield and Pitts-
field, Mass., where they met their old
friend, Mrs. Edwards, at the latter
place, after a separation of over
twenty-two years. Here they also saw
the famous Balance Rock. They re-
turned home via Rochester, Buffalo,
Niagara Falls and Southern Canada,
immensely delighted with their sight-
seeing jaunt.

Quite a number of our Border citi-
zens attended the large and very
successful picnic of the London Deaf
Association at Springbank Park, on
Labor Day, and all reports a glorious
time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Brown, of
Rochester, Mich., took in the Spring-
bank picnic and on their return home
were accompanied by Miss Jean Wark,
of Wyoming, Ont., who, along with
her mother and Mr. and Mrs. Jontie
Henderson, of Sarnia, also went to
London to attend the Berry meeting
and take in the big picnic. Since
coming to Rochester, Mr. and Mrs.
Brown have taken her to see the Har-
denbergs at Pontiac, the Berrys at
Royal Oak, the Riberdys in Detroit,
and to many places of interest.
Miss Wark has since returned home
and reports a whale of a time.

Mrs. John A. Braithwaite and her
daughter, Marion, of Windsor, have
returned from a pleasant visit with

Mrs. Arthur White and Miss Julia
White, in Strathroy and other parts
around.

We congratulate Mr. Harold Sa-
dows, eldest of the two sons of Mr.
and Mrs. Cas. Sadows, on his upward
trend in successful business in the
pharmacy line. Besides owning the
Sadows Pharmacy on Harper St., he
has just acquired the Gratiot Phar-
macy, next to the Rialto Theatre, and
intends making them among the finest
drug dispensaries in Detroit. He has
also taken over the agency of the
United States Stores branch at the cor-
ner of Harper and Van Dyke Streets.

HORNING MILLS HUMOR

Mrs. Middleton, the aged and
affectionate mother of Mr. Thomas A.
Middleton, returned to her home here
on September 9th, from her pleasant
trip to Toronto, Niagara Falls, Bob-
caygeon, Lindsay and many other
parts.

Mr. John Taylor, of Singhampton, is
still suffering from the effects of the
mad dog bite on his leg, which he
received several weeks ago, despite
careful attention paid to it. John had
the pleasure recently of meeting and
having a chat with Miss Bell, of Dun-
troon, before the latter left to assume
her duties as teacher at the Belleville
school.

The Sheritt family and Mr. Mere-
dith, of Corbetton, motored down and
spent one day lately, very pleasantly
with the Middletons. Miss Susie Sher-
ritt left on September 11th for another
year at the halls of learning at the
Belleville school.

Mr. John Taylor and his brother
motored over to Clarksburg on Septem-
ber 8th, and on returning intended go-
ing by way Collingwood to give Mr.
Daniel Fleming, of Craigleith, a sur-
prise call, but found their time would
not permit, much to their regret.

HALIFAX, N. S., HELLOS

Dr. T. Fox, of the New York School
for the Deaf, accompanied by Mr. S.
J. Fogarty, also of that city, enjoyed
a two weeks' visit through Nova Scotia
lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hughes, teach-
ers at the Missouri School for the Deaf
at Fulton, motored through Nova
Scotia and called at the Halifax School
for the Deaf on August 5th.

Miss Mary A. MacLean, of the
teaching staff of the Halifax School for
the Deaf, returned home on August
6th, from a very pleasant visit of five
weeks' duration with relatives and
friends in New York and Boston.

Mr. Boss, of Springhill, N. S., the
beloved father of our friend, Reta, has
returned home much improved from a
Michigan hospital, where he had
been for some weeks, undergoing treat-
ment, and we trust he will continue to
improve.

Miss Mary Anne MacLean's sister,
Christine, a member of the New
Waterford, Cape Breton, teaching staff
for a number of years, who had been
away visiting their mother in Regina,
Sask., for the past three months, arriv-
ed home late in August and will be
married to Mr. D. A. Courtney, of the
Public Health Department of St.
John's Newfoundland, in September.
The wedding will take place at St.
Mary's Cathedral in Halifax.

HAMILTON HAPPENINGS

Mrs. A. Waggoner held the service
for the deaf in London, on July 28th.
The day was tremendously hot with
inky clouds hovering high and a
thunder storm in the making. This
seemed as if the attendance would
be small, but to their surprise it turned
out very large. Mr. A. H. Cowan ably
presided over the gathering. Mr. Co-
wan is always popular and lenient with
every one and a pillar of strength.

Mrs. Waggoner hopes the London
meetings will continue in their success
of soul-winning.

Miss Jennie Irvine, who was recent-
ly mentioned in your columns as being
the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Wagon-
ner, was accompanied by the latter's
only nephew, Jack A. Irvine, son of
Mrs. Waggoner's youngest brother,
John.

The writer wants the public to know
that Mr. John Moreland is the hus-
tling chairman of the Hamikon Mis-
sion, and Mr. John Richardson, lately
out from Ireland, is treasurer. Mr.
Andrew S. Waggoner, for many years
the faithful and energetic chairman,
resigned a year ago, but is on the
executive board. The meetings are

proving very successful, under God's
guidance.

No sooner had Miss Jennie Irvine
and her nephew left, when Mrs. A.
Waggoner was favored with another
visit from her cousins, Mr. and Mrs.
T. Solways, of Ottawa, with their chil-
dren. The visitors had been in Wood-
stock, so stopped over for a few days
here while en route for home. They
declared it was no holiday, with the
little Arabs making mischief with their
octopus-like hands all the time.

Mr. Andrews S. Waggoner is now
in hopes of a visit from his brother
and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ste-
phen Waggoner, from Ottawa, some of
these days.

Mr. A. S. Waggoner, who had been
on the night shift at the Tallman brass
and metal works during the past year,
returned to the day shift last June,
much to the delight of his wife, but
her happiness was short lived, for he is
again back on his night job. It is a
puzzle why they moved him back,
unless they discovered he was a good
night owl.

During July and August just gone,
the Hamilton mission was closed, due
to the wish of the younger element,
who desired to go away during that
time, but it opened again on September
8th. There has been an impression
that our mission has gone on the rocks,
but such is not the case. Our mission
has always been flourishing and we will
keep it up as long as there is a vestige
of breath in us. This was the first
time we took on a change of routine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Waggoner, and
Messrs. John Moreland, John Rich-
ardson and Melvin Rourke, journeyed
to London, on September 1st, to at-
tend the Berry service, and we can
safely say it was a most profitable
sermon, and could see that the speaker
has an inspiring feeling and a soul
full of desire to expound God's blessed
word.

THE LARGEST EVER

The London Association of the Deaf
held its annual picnic at the beautiful
Springbank Park grounds, two miles
west of the city on Labor Day, and for
attendance and unbounded enthusiasm
it topped over all previous gatherings
by a huge margin, with beautiful sum-
mer-like weather adding to its success.

More than two hundred persons,
from all over the provinces, embracing
such widely separated points as
Toronto and Windsor, were in attend-
ance and thoroughly enjoyed the ex-
cellent program of sports and the
picnic luncheon.

The picknickers congregated in the
morning and both dinner and supper
were enjoyed in the pavilion. In the
morning the ladies staged a softball
game, in which the west-end members
won over those from the east, while in
the afternoon the men from the east
turned the tables by triumphing over
their western opponents.

The sports resulted as follows:—

Kicking Slipper (Men)—First,
Wesley McAdams; second, Melvin
Rourke.

Kicking Slipper (Ladies)—First,
Miss Eleanor Cowan; second, Miss
Jessie Alexander.

Wheelbarrow Race—First, Mr. Jesse
Batstone and Miss Edna Egginton;
second, Herbert Wilson and Miss
Blanche Brewer.

75 Yards Race (Ladies)—Mrs.
Wesley McAdams.

Carrying Ladies—First, Melvin
Rourke and Miss Jessie Alexander;
second, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McAdams.

Reverse Race—First, Melvin Rourke
and Jessie Alexander; second, Charles
L. McLaughlin and Miss Clara Young.
Chicken Fight (Men)—First, John
Marshall; second, Harry E. Grooms.
Chicken Fight (Ladies)—First,
Miss Alice Leckie; second, Miss Flo-
rence Garside.

100 Yards Dash (Men)—First,
Herbert Wilson; second, Melvin
Rourke.

100 Yards Dash (Ladies)—First,
Miss Eleanor Cowan; second, Mrs.
Wesley McAdams.

Children's Race—First, Miss Doris
Grooms; second, Cecil Terrell.

PICNIC PLAUDITS

There was a great throng and ideal
weather prevailed throughout.

Great was the surprise to see Miss
Doris Grooms outdistance her male
competitor, Cecil Terrell, and yet both
are of the same age.

Mrs. John Fisher was picnic con-
venor, and was helped in a very effi-
cient manner by Mesdames A. H.
Cowan, as Matron, W. H. Gould, Jr.,
Eddie Fishbein and Miss Sophia Fish-
bein, and great credit is due them for
their tireless efforts.

It was a larger attended picnic than
Toronto's "annual" and we are grate-
ful to the following gentlemen for
handling everything in such a smooth
running way: Mr. John Fisher as the
alert secretary-treasurer; Charles A.
Ryan as chairman of sports, with
Messrs. Robert McKenzie, Sr., and
Andrew S. Waggoner as his judges,
and H. J. Lloyd, A. S. Waggoner, Her-
bert Wilson and John Marshall as
umpires of the ball games.

Mr. John Berry, of Royal Oak,
Mich., was the cynosure of all eyes at
the record breaking meeting in the
Y. M. C. A., on Sunday afternoon,
September 1st. The spacious hall was
taxed to capacity and Mr. Berry's sub-
ject "What think Ye of Christ," will
go down into our annals as one of the
most masterly handed sermons ever
given before the deaf here. He spoke
in a soul-stirring yet kindly given way,
and his clear slow motioned gestures
held every breath in deep interest.
Miss Ada James helped materially by
gracefully rendering "Come now unto
your Saviour." We were so pleased
to see so many new faces at this ser-
vice as well as all at the picnic next day.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

Two more subscriptions bob up to
go with this quota.

On his arrival home from his week's
visit at Jarvis and Niagara Falls, the
writer found his letter box overflowing
with news notes from everywhere, and
he at once got busy condensing them
into readable paragraphs as given in
this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander D. Swan-
son, of Lacombe, Alberta, are now the
proud parents a little baby boy, which
made its first bow to this world on
July 27th last. It is their first off-
spring and bears the name of Arthur
Gordon Swanson. No doubt, Alex-
ander's old Belleville schoolmates will
be glad to hear of his daddyship.

Miss Gladys M. Atkinson, who has
been working in Tiverton for some
time past, has now gone to her former
home in Paisley. Before leaving Tiver-
ton she was pleased to receive a call
from her sister and brother-in-law,
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Annis, and some
cousins from Hamilton, whose visit she
much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Fishbein,
parents of Mr. Edward and Miss
Sophia Fishbein, of London, were
pleasantly surprised recently on the
occasion of their fortieth wedding
anniversary, when forty friends met
at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J.
M. Fink and Mr. Fink, to congratu-
late them.

Ten tables of bridge were in play
during the first part of the evening,
the winners being Mrs. W. Lees and
M. Grafstein. The ladies' prize was a
Japanese flower pot, and the gentle-
men's a set of hairbrushes.

Following bridge, refreshments were
served, Mrs. Fink bringing in a cake
lighted with forty candles in honor of
the celebration. Mr. Grafstein acted
as chairman, and short addresses were
given by H. Wolf, Bernard Wolf, B.
Mann, H. Goldberg, L. Wolf, M. Wein-
stein and others. Mr. Fink, on behalf
of the family, presented the couple
with a set of forty pieces of silver.

Mrs. Louis Wolf sang folk songs,
and Mrs. Mann sang songs appropriate
to the occasion.

Mr. Yarmovsky, son-in-law of Mr.
and Mrs. Fishbein, congratulated them
and presented them with a Japanese
floor lamp with forty rows of beads.
On behalf of the guests, F. Richmond
presented them with a silk bridge
lamp.

Two of the grandchildren, Mildred
Fink and Zivia Yarmovsky, presented
them with a walnut smoking stand, and
a library table scarf.

Mr. and Mrs. Fishbein graciously
expressed their appreciation.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

We Must Have Caresses.

Deaf-Mutes' Journal

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At the Typothetae Convention recently held at Washington, D. C., much was said concerning the lack of basic knowledge that is essential to a mastery of the Art "Preservative"—that is, the trade of printing. One of the speakers said:—

"In the training of some 300 apprentice printers at the government printing office in the last several years, the lack of the rudiments of an elementary education has been illustrated, although most of them have been through at least eight grades in school."

What of the difficulties which assail the conscientious teacher of deaf apprentices? Let us draw a contrast of the uphill work of teachers of deaf pupils and apprentices in printing establishments.

THE HEARING BOY.

A hearing boy is apprenticed for five years.

He begins with a Grammar or High School education.

Which presupposes a good stock of elementary knowledge.

He has a fair knowledge of words and phrases—in fact his ability to speak and write grammatically is one of the requirements of an apprentice.

He applies his mind and energies to learning the art of printing at least 50 weeks of the year, 8 hours each day, and six days each week.

THE DEAF BOY.

The deaf boy begins with almost no ability in language, and with a meagre amount of knowledge.

He requires constant explanations of the most simple things.

His hours of application are supposed to be three each day, but the number and complexity of other duties make two hours a day a fair average and, in the five days a week, the number of hours does not exceed ten.

He has a recess at Christmas and New Year's, at Easter and Passover at Thanksgiving, etc., that total about six weeks. His long summer vacation of three months, makes the aggregate time he is away from his trade each year four and one half months, leaving the time devoted to learning his trade seven and one half months, or thirty weeks of two hours a day.

The educated hearing boy spends 2400 hours a year learning his trade. The partly educated deaf boy spends 300 hours a year learning his trade.

So that eight years of the deaf boy's time equals one year of the hearing boy's time.

Being young and a schoolboy, the deaf boy's mind is more given to play than studious application.

In view of all these facts, it is not astonishing that when they leave school these boys acquit themselves so well.

Yet, in spite of all these drawbacks in elementary education, schools for the deaf have graduated printers who work side by side with their hearing

brethren and very often display skill of a superior order. They command the same emolument and earn the unstinted admiration of their employers. They started at the bottom, were held to a good comprehension of the fundamentals, and today their number in membership of the Typographical Union is very large.

There is nothing wrong with deaf printers, if at the outset a thorough knowledge of the fundamentals has been stressed.

It is reliably stated that H. J. Menzemer, M.A., President of the Montana Institution for the Deaf at Boulder, has been appointed Superintendent of the State School for the Deaf at Olathe, Kan.

The Montana Institution, over which Mr. Menzemer has presided with marked ability, was opened in 1851, and has buildings and grounds valued at \$311,376, with a pupillage of eighty-five children.

The Olathe School for the Deaf, to which Mr. Menzemer's progressive energies has been called, has buildings and grounds valued at \$311,000. It was opened in the year 1861, and the number of pupils under instruction on the first day of January of this year, according to the *Annals*, was two hundred and thirty-three. It is listed as a Combined school, and it is hoped and believed that system of educating the deaf will continue to prevail.

Washington, D. C.

Now that the heated season is a thing of the past, the National Capital is resuming its wonted custom and the social festivities are once more in more or less evidence with the return those who were fortunate enough to get away during the long, hot spell.

Both church missions have resumed activities and from now on we may hear of services, socials, suppers, etc.

Rev. A. Bryant, who spent several weeks up in Connecticut, enjoying the sea breezes, is back and preparing to make the greatest use of the new quarters the Baptist Mission has granted at Calvary Baptist Church, which was erecting an addition to its already fine plant.

The Episcopalians are active too, and held their first social in the Parish House of St. Mark's Church on the night of the 11th. Plans are on foot to hold the annual supper and bazaar at this Parish House on the night of the 13th of November, hence it is to be hoped all will remember the date and place—A and Third Streets, S. E. This affair will be under charge of the Ladies' Guild of St. Barnabas' Mission to the Deaf.

Now that Congress will soon reconvene, annual reports are being handed in to the Public Printer, hence all those several hundred typists at the Government Printing Office will find their hands full of work from now on.

Mrs. Drusilla Boland, who has been making her home in Washington the past several years, has given up her apartment in the northwestern section of the city and gone to Pennsylvania to make her home with her sister.

The Frats will have their first open social in Northeast Masonic Temple on the night of October 5th. As the affair will be free in every way, a large crowd is expected to be on hand. A good time is promised every one, and it is felt all those who are on hand will "have the time of their lives."

Gallaudet College has reopened and the usual goodly number of new students are registered, but it is not known just how many there are at the present time. According to the daily newspapers, there are sufficient new men to make up a strong eleven. Only time will tell what sort of players the new men will make.

X. X. X.

Senate Pages

The page boys in the Senate are paid \$3.30 per day while the Senate is in session. Their hours are concurrent with those of the Senate, but it is necessary for them to report somewhat earlier than the hour at which the Senate convenes. Their duties are those of messengers, generally. Under the laws of the District of Columbia, they are required to attend school for 15 hours each week. Some attend night school and others attend classes conducted by an instructor at the Capitol in the mornings.

Only Beets Blush

About the only thing left in this world that can be shocked is grain. —Blue Mountain Eagle.

CHICAGO

According to word received here, the wife of Wallace R. Williams, teacher at the Wisconsin State School for the Deaf, passed away Wednesday evening, September 11th, at eleven o'clock at the Walworth County hospital, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis a few days ago, the operation being performed by a specialist from Milwaukee, Wis., but it was too late to save her life.

Mrs. Williams was a graduate of the State school with the class of 1894.

Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Miss Helen, who is a teacher in the high school at Stoughton.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, September 14th, at the Episcopal church.

Rev. Geo. Flick conducts Sunday services at his church for this season as usual as follows:—Holy Communion at 11 A.M. on the first Sunday of every month, and afternoon sermon and prayer at 3 P.M. on all other Sundays.

The Woman's Guild at his church reception room have opened this season with meetings every Wednesday at 1 P.M. and supper at 6.30 P.M., followed by "500" and bunco.

While sitting on a chair in the front room of her home at 11724 Wallace Street, Mrs. Ethel Lewis was bitten by her own dog.

The dog jumped upon her suddenly and sank its teeth into her face. He was sent to the dog pound and the health department will keep him under observation two weeks, to see if he develops any symptoms of madness.

According to word received here, H. J. Menzemer, superintendent of the Montana deaf school for seventeen years, has been appointed to fill the place of D. T. Cloud, who resigned two months ago to take charge of the Illinois deaf school.

The school opened this week with an enrollment of 240 pupils, with Mr. Menzemer at the head of the staff of thirty-two teachers.

Rev. Hasenstab preached at the M. E. Mission Sunday, September 15, at 3 P.M., with the usual number being on hand. The next day he left on his preaching tour to New Albany, Ind., at 7:45 P.M. Then he was travelling from place to place fill four more of his last appointments till September 21st.

Mrs. Clara Spears came here from Racine, Wis., last week to visit her sister, Mrs. Sullivan. They purchased a plot in a cemetery and had the two bodies of Frank Spears and his son interred from the vault. After that, Mrs. Spears returned home this week, in order to make preparations for the marriage of her daughter, Alma, which took place Saturday, September 21st.

Misses Lillian Miloch and Helen Fitzpatrick returned last week from their vacation, spent at St. Rica School for the Catholic Deaf at Cincinnati, O., where they met four of their schoolmates and had a wonderful time. Then they made a trip to Detroit and Canada, on their return home.

Mrs. C. Clarke came here from Milwaukee, Wis., to visit her sister. After her visit of two days, they left for St. Louis, Kansas City and Wichita, Kan., for a visit with their folks. After that they returned through Chicago on their way to South Bend, Ind., to visit Mrs. Clarke's sister's son and also to see his wife, who is in a hospital, where she has been operated on for abscess.

While Mrs. Clarke was away on a tour in Kansas, her husband won a bed blanket, at a picnic at Milwaukee, Wis. He spent only ten cents on a chance.

Among the students at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, Wis., are Misses May A. Lange and Beulah Neesam from Delavan, Wis., which is represented at Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill., by another student, Wallace Bray, son of the superintendent of the Wisconsin deaf school.

After a visit with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. Paul Lange, at Delavan, Rudolph Lange has returned through Chicago on his way to Cincinnati, O., where he is a special agent for the Chicago Insurance Company of North America. He has not made any mention of returning to his teaching duties at the Iowa School for the Deaf, which opened its term two weeks ago.

John Holmes, of Batavia, Ill., went to Deerfield, Ill., this week to do painting and decorating for his relative for four days. His wife took advantage of his absence to come and stop at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Brien for one day. After some business, she returned home.

The Pas-a-Pas Club held a "500" and bunco party at its hall, Saturday, September 14th, with a good attendance, under the management of Sam Goldberg's daughter. It netted a big sum of money, through her efforts.

The Ephpheta Club has made an announcement of the coming events as follows: "500" and bunco party Sunday, September 29th; a lunch box party Sunday, October 20th, and a Christmas sale Sunday, October 27th. Arthur Meehan, who went back to Columbus, O., to join his wife at the recent reunion of the deaf, returned home, but his wife went to Detroit for some time.

Charles Kessler, who came here from Tennessee last month, is still in this

city. We don't know whether he will go back or stay. His wife continues to teach at the State School for the Deaf.

The Ephpheta Sodality had a monthly business meeting at the Ephpheta Club house, September 15th, at 3:30 P.M. Later there was a movie in the evening, for charge of twenty-five cents a person to benefit the fund.

The Hebrew deaf club held a "500" and bunco party at Bruns Hall, Sunday, September 15th, with a good attendance.

Murnen, son of Mrs. Pat O'Brien, went Saturday morning, September 14th, to Madison, Wis., by auto, for a two-day visit with her folks and then returned with some products from their farm.

James McCarthy, of Fairview, Ill., was visiting in this city for some time and showed up at Rev. Hasenstab's church, Sunday, September 15th.

THIRD FLAT.

427 S. Robey St.

CALIFORNIA

The Los Angeles Division of "Frats" have outlined a very good program for September 28th, which will be carried through at the Garfield Hall at 730 Grand Avenue on the above date, starting at eight o'clock P.M. and terminating "when the cows come home in the morning."

This event is a forerunner of bigger events to come and heralded as a "Stag Party."

The pool tournaments held at the Sphinx Club each Tuesday evening draw many interested sport fans, and quite a few crack pool players participate. Ye scribe carried off the prize awarded on the game last Saturday night, defeating sixteen other cue experts. The Saturday night game was "special," being played for the glory of being "champion."

Mr. Albert G. Lepley, hailing from Cleveland, Ohio, a printer, arrived in Los Angeles recently and lost no time in becoming a member of the Sphinx.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferguson, of Holtville, Cal., a district located in the Imperial Valley, where it's hot the year around, were taking their vacation of two weeks during August, and were visitors at the Sphinx Club, attending the entertainment and meeting old friends and becoming acquainted with new ones.

Mr. Ferguson is a prosperous chicken rancher and recently disposed of two thousand young roosters for a "fat" roll of Uncle Sam's new greenbacks. He expects to enlarge his poultry holdings in the near future. He says Mrs. Ferguson is a great help to him and the success attained is largely due to her "business head."

The JOURNAL, he says, will be among his mail shortly. Clarence Modisett and Otto Becher were outgoing hunters for Lockwood a short time ago. They went in quest of the elusive buck and were to be gone a week. At this writing the luck, if any, has not reached us, but we feel quite certain one or both will, or have, obtained his allowance in the way of a six-pronged buck, and if so "we" would appreciate a slice of Mr. Buck's quarter.

Delmar Cosgrove, a student of Gallaudet College at Washington, D. C., was mingling with the vast crowd at the Sphinx at a recent entertainment. Delmar will graduate this term and return to his home at San Diego, Cal., where his parents reside and embark in the business of assisting his father in the office where Mr. Cosgrove is employed as foreman for a large planing mill concern.

Miss Opal Crabtree contributed her appearance at the entertainment given recently at the Sphinx. Miss Opal is a pleasure to meet, as she carries cheery disposition along with a smile.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ries are elated over the arrival of a ten-pound baby boy a few days ago. Mr. Ries is employed by the Thos. Elliott Printing Co. as pressman. Congratulations.

Quite a few of the enthusiastic deaf-mute hunters are making ready to hie into the big trees, where the deer are plentiful, and make a try on accurate shooting for some of that tender and juicy venison.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Elliott have moved from their old address on Thirty-seventh Street into a nicely furnished court bungalow, farther west on the same street. Tom is rather "fedgy," always in a hurry for the noon hour to roll around, so he can hurry home and bounce his little chubby-fisted son on his knee, and greet his faithful little wife. Ye scribe knows, because he was taken along one mid-day.

The "nose-bags" will contain "grub" as prepared by ye scribe during the next two months for the Sphinx attendance, and it is hoped there won't be any "hoss-laugh" thrown in the direction of the chef. If you want to read what's doing among the deaf in Los Angeles, subscribe for the JOURNAL and you won't regret sending in your two plunkers for twelve months—52 issues of a wide-awake newspaper, printed for the deaf.

J. CHAS. NASH.

A lot of people are broadminded until they come up against a practical problem.

SEATTLE

The last Gallaudet Guild picnic for the season was held at Madrona Park on August 18th, and was a late afternoon affair, the crowd of thirty coming together for a picnic supper under the trees by beautiful Lake Washington. No particular person was in charge, and all contributed to the spread and ate together at a long table.

William La Motte spent Labor Day in Spokane, taking advantage of the special excursion rates. He reports a dandy time, and says that all our friends in sunny Spokane are well.

Dr. W. G. Cassels, the brother-in-law of Mrs. Emily Eaton and a great specialist in tubercular diseases, has decided to return to his work in the Red Cross Bureau, and will go to Washington, D. C., to reside permanently. He will sell his lovely country home at Medina, across Lake Washington. In the future, he and Mrs. Cassels will be in Seattle for visits only, and not to reside. We are all sorry to see them leave, but especially Mrs. Eaton, who will greatly miss the sisterly care she has had from Mrs. Cassels. Mrs. Eaton is very happy now in being able to read the Moon system of raised print, and once again spends many hours among books.

We received announcement from Mrs. Thomas J. Gorman of the marriage of her daughter, Mary, to Mr. Stephen J. Moreland, on August 21st. Mary's marriage leaves only Edna Dolores, and Frances at home with Mrs. Gorman. There were originally six daughters and a son.

Not long after the marriage of Mrs. Conley, her uncle, Mr. J. J. Gorman, died at Columbus Hospital. Though ill, he attended Marguerite's wedding and she was present at his funeral, before proceeding to her new home at Lewiston, Idaho. Mr. Gorman was a salmon packer and broker, coming to Seattle in 1901. He became one of the largest operators of salmon canneries on Puget Sound and in Alaska, and his firm also did a large salmon brokerage business.

Mrs. Laura Foster recently found a valuable platinum pin set with three diamonds, near a department store in the shopping district. Seeing an advertisement for the pin in the *Star*, she answered it, and was able to restore the pin to its owner. She was given a liberal reward and the thanks of the owner for keeping it a week before she was able, on account of illness, to claim it.

Dr. Hanson held his first communion service in Tacoma, at 9 o'clock A.M., at Christ Church. Joe Kirschbaum drove him out and back. At a recent communion service in Seattle, Mrs. Lillie was a visitor with Howard and Florence.

Howard Lillie spent several days with Mrs. Hanson before returning to the State School, when it opened on the 11th. They took bus rides, visited the zoo at Woodland Park, lunched downtown and visited several department stores, and went through two or three children's classics in signs. We hope Howard had a good time.

On September 6th, the Hansons had as guests to dinner Messrs. Harold Arntzen, Alfred Goetz, Arvid Rudnick, and Lloyd Henry. The first three are now back at the State School. Mr. Arntzen had a fine job all summer at his home at Blaine, Wash. His father is foreman of a fish cannery there, and Harold worked under him catching salmon.

The Hansons are rejoicing in a visit from their married daughter, Mrs. J. L. Martin, and little five months old Nancy Jane. It seems fine to have a small child in the house once more. Little Nancy was baptized at St. Mark's by her grandfather last Sunday the 15th, in the presence of twenty persons.

Mr. A. K. Waugh is now located not far from Yakima, where he is helping with various fruit harvests.

Mrs. Robert Rogers spent a week in Seattle with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Canthorn, and brought with her her little two-and-a-half year-old son, Robert Junior. He is a handsome and friendly little fellow, and when he sees his mother shaking hands with anyone, he will come forward and offer his hand also and smile engagingly. Mrs. Rogers and Mr. L. A. Divine took dinner with us on the 10th. Mrs. Rogers attended the P. S. A. D. meeting on Saturday, and returned home to Ellensburg the following day.

L. A. Divine was in town to take the state pupils back to school, and left with a big crowd of them the morning of the 11th.

At the P. S. A. D. we were glad to greet our friends, Mr. and Mrs. John Skoglund. They were on a motoring trip and are putting in a few days in town. Mr. Skoglund, who is president of our state association, made a speech in which he named the local committee for the convention in Spokane in 1931. Mr. Sackville-West is chairman, and associated with him are Mesdames Chambers and Winchell and Messrs. Silk and Frisby. There is already over thirty dollars in the convention fund. John is sure a hustler. Everybody is sure of a good time at Spokane because of the courteous and harmonious group of deaf folks living there.

Other visitors at the P. S. A. D. were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wood, of Santa Barbara, who motored up in their Buick. Mr. Wood gave a speech in which he told us of a club

of deaf people in Los Angeles, the Sphinx, which seemed to give great pleasure to its members. We were amazed to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Wood had a married daughter of twenty. They are so youthful in appearance that we thought they had not been married long. Mr. Wood is a native of Canada, and has prospered very well in California, where he owns several good pieces of property. He has taken out naturalization papers and is now a United States Citizen, preferring to give his allegiance to the country that has treated him so generously. In which we think he is quite right.

THE HANSONS.

September 18, 1929.

OHIO

At the Ohio reunion, we learned that our old friend, Miss Letitia L. Doane, died last June. She was found dead in the bathroom of her small apartment in Chicago, where she had been teaching in one of the oral schools there for some years. She taught at the Ohio school for several years before going to Chicago. While in the Ohio school, she wrote a book of very interesting stories for children. She was a faithful teacher and a fine high-minded woman, and many deaf who were in the Ohio school some thirty years ago will remember her. She occasionally visited in Columbus and always called together some of her old friends.

The Ohio *Chronicle* has not yet come out, but when it does it will be seen that the new associate editor, to take the place of Mr. A. B. Greener, is Mrs. Everett Kennedy, and her husband is to be a teacher of printing. They come, we believe, from New Jersey. He is deaf and she a hearing lady. As Mr. Ryan remains as a teacher of printing, this gives the *Chronicle* office two supervisors and some excellent work should now be done. Dr. Jones remains as chief editor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis La Fountain found their North High St. domicile too far from the school and have taken an apartment at 602½ Franklin Ave., thus shortening the distance for Lewis to travel daily.

We learned that Mr. and Mrs. Philip Holdren are now in their own home in a suburb east of Columbus.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Moore, formerly of the New Jersey school, have located near Worthington, just north of Columbus. Mr. Moore's brother, Russell, has been living in Columbus for several years, and now the two are brought closer together.

Cleveland's social affairs start September 28th, when the Greater Cleveland Association will give a dinner at the Mission House, under the supervision of Mr. C. Ortol, Mrs. Rhea Mohr and Miss Ida McNamara.

Mr. Roy Conkling, editor of The *American Deaf Citizen*, told us that the number of subscribers has now reached the thousand mark, surpassing all his expectations. The paper is published twice a month, and the copies we have seen look very new.

Mrs. Kreigh Ayers is steadily improving, and may soon be removed from Grant Hospital and then return to her home and family in Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Kingry had the pleasure of having the latter's twin brother, Hiram Bard, of Cleveland, with them for a few weeks. The twins are only 76 years young and both are in good health. Mr. and Mrs. Kingry recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Up in Toledo, where there is plenty of water, Mr. Elmer McVicker who is an expert fancy diver and swimmer, has invested in a canoe, and just about lives on the river and is, in fact, a human fish.

The Columbus Ladies' Aid Society will meet September 19, 1929, and start the plans for its annual fall socials.

DETROIT

Mrs. G. E. M. Nelson and Mrs. Jas. Henderson, both of Detroit, Mich., have been spending the summer months visiting relatives and friends in different parts of Canada and New York State.

The ladies spent most of August and part of September in Canada. They state the long dry drought has done considerable damage to crops all over Canada, as it has in the United States, but coupled with the great forest fires, has crippled many sections. As the ladies left Canada many of the farm fields were burning all along the railroad route which they traveled. The ladies will spend a few weeks with Mrs. Henderson's sister, Mrs. Toellner, of Angola, N. Y., before they return to Detroit.

Boarding House

Sylvia A. Stennes wishes to announce to her deaf friends that she is going to open an up-to-date boarding house in St. Petersburg, Fla., in October. Thirty dollars a week, first-class board. Address: 506 Sixth Avenue, Asbury Park, N. J.

FANWOOD

To the great regret of both students and staff, Miss Carroll, Director of our Department of Industrial and Technical Art since 1919, has found it necessary to relinquish her services here. In a letter to the Principal Miss Carroll tells of the strain on her heart strings because of her separation from the work in which she had found so much satisfaction.

With all the boys and girls back at school, after their long summer absence, the chief topic of interest among them has been their doings during the vacation period.

Many of the boys were hard to recognize, as they were so tanned that they looked like Filipinos. All of the pupils looked fine and healthy, ready to start the school year right.

Quite a few of the pupils spent all or part of the time working at various jobs, and earning a neat little sum of pocket money.

Albert Pyle worked for the McCall's Magazine for a short time and then at the I. B. Kleintert Rubber Co. George Salamanda worked as a bus boy in a restaurant. Ernest Marshall got a position as a feeder in Rye, N. Y., and worked throughout the summer there. Oscar Benison also was in a printing office.

Anna Rohling worked for the San Package Napkin Co. Jennie Elliot made about fifty beautiful woven rugs at home and sold many of them. Madeline Kauth worked for the National Surety Co. Irene Gourdeau was with the Cutex Company.

Saturday last, the younger Fanwood baseball team outplayed the Jackson All Stars, who had won ten games outside. The score was 10 to 7.

Our team showed much improvement. Abe Hirsion, our new pitcher, fanned fourteen boys. This game closed the baseball season.

J. A. S.	AB	R	E	K
Red	3	1	1	0
Lefty	5	2	0	0
Hogan	5	0	0	1
Lindy	3	0	0	0
Richey	4	0	0	0
Rodney	4	1	1	0
Gruff	3	1	4	0
Walker	2	1	1	0
Tommy	2	0	0	0
Wilkins	2	0	0	0
	33	6	7	1

FANWOOD	AB	R	E	K
Capocci, 3B	3	1	2	1
Johnson, c.p.	4	0	1	0
Teleco, 1B	4	3	1	1
Hirson, P.	4	2	1	0
Balkowski, 2B	5	2	1	2
Verdicchio, ss.	4	3	1	0
Fucci, c.p.	3	2	1	0
Kalenda, c	3	0	0	0
Brown, r.f.	3	2	2	0
Shafan, —	1	0	0	0
	34	15	10	4

Struck out-by Abe Hirsion, 14. By Wilkins, 9.

By JENNIE ELLIOTT

A good deed was done by Marie Coppalo last July. While walking along Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, Marie saw a little girl struck by an auto. She was the first to reach the scene and picking up the child, carried it to its mother.

During the summer many of the girls saw famous movie stars in person. Angeline Durso and Peggy Reston saw Lupe Velez at Forty-second Theatre. Miss Velez presented each of the girls with a flower.

Anna Schmidt saw Greta Garbo at Fourteenth Street.

Fannie Weishouse saw Irene Rich on the stage, in the play "Ask Her Husband."

Marion Danks saw Jackie Coogan and his father on the stage.

Last summer Anna Kuccivak and Kathleen Hager saw a man kill a big turtle at Summit Park. This turtle was the biggest the girls had ever seen, being about two feet long and one foot wide.

NEW YORK

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

KARUS—GARRICK

St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes was beautiful with floral decorations on Saturday, September 21st, when at four o'clock in the afternoon the piquant and pretty Jessie Garrick was married to Joseph F. Karus, in the presence of nearly two hundred guests.

The officiating clergymen were Rev. Dr. Burgess, Rector of the Church of St. Matthew and St. Timothy, and Rev. Guilbert C. Braddock, the latter rendering the marriage ritual into signs and the manual alphabet, while Rev. Dr. Burgess delivered it *via voce*.

The wedding procession approached the altar at exactly four o'clock, which was beautifully decorated with a semi-circle of palms reinforced with oak leaves. On the altar, were vases of hammered brass holding bunches of gladioli. Two huge clusters of gladioli stood at either end of the sanctuary. The bride, leaning on the arm of her father was preceded by the maid of honor, Miss Jean Garrick, sister of the bride. The matron of honor was Mrs. W. Burke, and the bridesmaid, Miss Madeline Kauth. All three wore gowns of flowered chiffon, and transparent picture hats of beige. The maid of honor carried a bouquet of tea roses, and the two others pink roses.

The bride wore a gown of ivory silk crepe, with a veil of tulle to match, trimmed with Duchess lace and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of lilies.

Three Fanwood School girls—Misses Peggy Reston, Eleanor Swanson, Clara Herman—sang in concerted signs "O Promise Me."

The bride's brother, James Thomas Garrick, who was best man, stood at the altar rail with the groom until the bride was relinquished to him by her father. The officiating ministers then proceeded to unite the two for weal or woe.

The ushers at the wedding were Mr. Edward Carr and Mr. William Burke.

After the wedding party had reached the assembly room, there was a rush to offer congratulations.

An automobile bore the happy couple away, after they had been profusely showered with rice. The car was embellished on the rear bumper with old shoes and tin cans and a large placard on which was painted "Just Married."

The honeymoon will be spent upstate and over the border at Niagara Falls into the Province of Ontario, Canada.

On Thursday evening, September 19th, there was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League. Many of the members had returned from vacation, spent either at the seashore or in the mountains.

The reports of the various committees, especially that of the Board of Trustees, showed that the League was financially prosperous, having in nine months almost equalled the record of last year.

The Entertainment Committee on Wednesday (Thanksgiving Eve) November 27th, 1929, will hold a Barn Dance, and promise all who attend a gala time, as no expense will be spared, and there will be various prizes to be won, including to those wearing the best costume on the occasion.

Abe Kriesworth is partly blind, and a very unfortunate individual too, for after eleven years he lost his position, and has not been able to find employment as yet. On the 7th of September he went to Coney Island, and was held up by two men, and robbed of four dollars. The men searched him but could find nothing else, except an Ingersoll watch, which they let him keep. In an inside pocket he had a V, which they overlooked, but besides robbing him they also hit him several blows.

Louis Hagan, the butter and egg man and his family are back home from the seashore. Louis, however, also spent two weeks up in New England, where he met many of his old Hartford schoolmates, and says he had a corking time with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Miller wish to announce that their daughter, Miss Constance Miller, a graduate of the Lexington School for the Deaf, was married to Mr. Frank Heintz, a graduate of Fanwood, on September 7th, at St. George's Episcopal Church in Flushing, L. I.

The Rev. J. Philip Anshutz performed the ceremony, with only their relatives and close friends present at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dlugatch spent a couple of days in Hartford the first week of September. Mr. Dlugatch's cousin took them on an automobile trip to Willimantic and Plainfield, Ct., and say they enjoyed their visit very much.

Alex Goldfogle, being broken down in health, was ordered to the country for change of air and quiet. With Mrs. Goldfogle, he has been for a couple of weeks at New Preston, Ct.

Joseph Sturtz, after six weeks, has resumed his duties as an expert leather worker. He had been under a doctor's care. Joe's friends are glad he is now himself again.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Schwartz are back in the Bronx, after a delightful vacation spent in Virginia and Pennsylvania. They met many deaf-mutes in both states, including New Yorkers, who were on a vacation like themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mueller, after almost a year seeking a place in which to live, finally decided on Astoria, N. Y., and have settled down to house-keeping.

I. Morganstein, after going to Niagara Falls, was so charmed with the place and decided to spend all of his short vacation there. He is now back home, and says he had a "wonderful" vacation.

Moses Rosenberg has sold his auto, which for a time he thought he could never get along without, but ere long he may be the owner of a new up-to-date car.

Mr. Edwin Thetford is sojourning down South, and will be in Savannah the last week of September. After that he expects to spend the winter at Jacksonville, Fla.

Simon Mundheim came home from Atlantic City, N. Y., on September 4th, but he will be out of town during October. He has fully recovered from his recent sickness.

Mrs. C. Vetterlein has just returned from a trip of four weeks, being the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wasserman, stopping at Schroon Lake, Lake George, Little Falls, Indian Ladder and various places. She looks the picture of health, and certainly enjoyed the motor trip.

It is regretfully announced that Mrs. Simon Hirsch's beloved mother, Mrs. Esther Bodenwieser, aged eighty-seven years, passed away peacefully on the morning of September 21, 1929.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colberg, of Wildwood, N. J., made announcement of the engagement of their daughter, Hilda, to Harry Dixon, of Jersey City, N. J., on July 21st. They will be married on October 12th, in Wildwood by Rev. Mr. Smaltz, of Philadelphia. After the honeymoon, they will settle in Jersey City.

Miss Elizabeth Hilda Spong is enjoying the sights at Montreal, Canada, at present.

The following is taken from the New York Evening Telegram:—

DEAF WOMEN DUPED

A deaf woman arrived at the office of one of the daily racing papers with a signed deed to the paper. She exhibited the deed and explained to the perplexed editors she had bought the paper for \$500.

Two Deaf-Mutes Die in Nashville Fire

Elias A. Wills, 48, caretaker, and his wife, 40, both deaf-mutes, were overcome by heat and smoke this morning about 3 o'clock and died before aid could reach them, as fire swept the combined National Guard Armory and business house at 127 Ninth Avenue, south, where Wills was employed, and where they made their home.

It is believed that they were unaware of the blaze until waked by intense heat and smoke. Firemen and police who fought their way to the second story room where the couple lived, found Wills' body in a sitting posture, rigid, on the side of the bed, while at his feet was huddled the figure of his wife. Both bodies were slightly burned about the face and arms, and from their positions it is believed that the two made only feeble efforts to escape before being overcome.

The fire, which is thought to have started near a switchboard in the rear part of the second story, burned through the roof and brick part of the building.

Efforts by neighbors to wake the couple sleeping in the building had been in vain. Streams of water were poured into the blaze and firemen stumbled through the smoke to search for the deaf-mutes inside.

When the searchers reached the room where Wills and his wife were staying, they found flames licking at the coverlets of the bed and the two people already dead. Their bodies were carried out and turned over to undertakers.

Both Wills and his wife were natives of Nashville and had been married for twelve years. He is survived by four brothers, Joe, John, Briley and Robert Wills, while his wife is survived by a brother, Robert Day. It was said this morning that the couple have a son in school, either in Louisville or Knoxville, and efforts were being made to reach him, by radio bulletins. Relatives of Wills say there were no children.

Wills was a well-known character about Nashville, being, in spite of his affliction, an ardent lover of the soldier's life. In 1913, when troops left Nashville for the Mexican border, "Dummy," as affectionately known among guardsmen, sat crying on the railroad tracks. The departure of his friends for France in 1917 affected him in the same manner.—*Nashville Tennessean*, Sept. 18

OMAHA

The mother of Floyd and Walter Zabel passed away Tuesday morning, August 20th, at Western, Neb. They have the sympathy of their Omaha friends. Floyd was in Omaha, September 14th and 15th, the guest of George Revers. He attended the local Frat meeting, Saturday night the 14th.

Miss Deane Hecox died at the Jennie Edmundsen Hospital, Saturday morning, August 31st, from diabetes, after an illness of only four days.

Mrs. M. B. Marshall, aged 68, passed away at York, Neb., Friday, August 30th, at 6:20 A.M., after a lingering illness. The funeral was held on Sunday, September 1st, at 2:30 P.M., from the family home. All the children were present except Alfred, who is working in New York and will enter the Sophomore class at Gallaudet college this fall. A large number of deaf friends were present from Lincoln, St. Joseph and surrounding towns. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Mr. and Mrs. Ziba L. Osmun and Scott Cusdaden attended from Omaha. Messrs. Osmun and Cusdaden were two of the pall bearers. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall and child, from Jacksonville, Ill., also were there. The bereaved family has the sympathy of all their friends.

BORN.—To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Tubrick, May 16th, a girl. To Mr. and Mrs. Dale Paden, May 27th, a girl. To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Herbold, of Marion, Ind., July 7th, a girl; and to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrow, of Council Bluffs, August 31st, a girl. Mrs. Morrow was Betty Sowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sowell. Our congratulations to all concerned, but pray, tell us, why no boys were included.

Edmund Berney took advantage of an excursion and spent Labor Day in Chicago, never separating from his sweetheart till the return train for Omaha.

Miss Ruth Lomart stopped a couple days at the Fontenelle Hotel, enroute home to New York from Los Angeles, where she spent her vacation. A certain young man lost no time getting acquainted with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Treuke entertained informally on Saturday evening, September 4th, at their lovely home, honoring Messrs. Ray and Arthur Wenger, of Colorado. "The Wenger Twins" were the center of interest, and were on their way to attend a convention in Minneapolis, Minn. Arthur is a pathologist for the University of Colorado, and Ray is a biologist at Twin Falls, Idaho. When both had finished school, they agreed that the one who first found a job should finance the other through Gallaudet College, and Ray did this for Arthur, who reciprocated, till both had received their degrees. Possibly we got the names mixed, in which case you'll have to excuse us. Dainty ice-cream, confections, salted nuts and coffee, were served and those present had a very pleasant evening.

The Council Bluffs Division, No. 103, held a picnic at the Iowa School grounds, Labor Day. A good-sized crowd turned out. An indoor baseball game was the feature of the afternoon, and with the approach of the opening of school, several had returned from their summer vacations, so "howdy; glad to see you" was in order.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hazel spent their vacations at the Ohio and Illinois School reunions respectively. Both report them the largest ever held, and according to the last two issues of the JOURNAL, fine programs were carried out. Mrs. Hazel is spending a month with her mother in Galesburg, Ill.

Owen Study, who spent the summer boating, fishing and swimming in Minnesota and with his folks in Iowa, is back in Omaha at his old job—no bride came along. Not yet.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Treuke, Emmett Osterlink and a few others, spent Labor Day at the Lincoln state fair.

Elmer Osmun, who spent most of the summer here with his father, Ziba L. Osmun, has since returned to his home in Washington, D. C., to attend school.

Adolph N. Struck stopped in Council Bluffs long enough to call on the Tom Andersons on September 1st. He was en route home to Moline, Ill., from Shenandoah, Ia., where he left his children with Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Donnell. Neither "Buddy" nor Dorothy Struck cared much for city life, hence back to the farm for them. Mr. and Mrs. Anton Netusil motored to Denver, Col., for a two weeks' vacation, in the middle of August. Both returned looking refreshed.

Misses Helen and Elizabeth Holway, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Leo R. Holway, left Saturday, September 7th, for a couple weeks' visit with relatives in Springfield, Ohio.

John E. Probert is now working in Council Bluffs for the Broadway Cleaners and will probably move his family there.

Miss Gladys Beebe and James Hargis were married by the bride's father, Rev. J. L. Beebe, on September 7th, and are living with her grandmother in Omaha for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Anderson spent their vacation with Mr. Anderson's two children, who live with his sister in Texas. His daughter accompanied them here for a visit, returning home in time for school.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson (Dorothy Long) and daughter visited Dr. and Mrs. J. Schnyer Long and also Mr. Thompson's folks in Omaha, the first two weeks in September. They came in their Chrysler sedan from Columbus, Ohio, where Mr. Thompson teaches at the State university, and brought along Mr. Thompson's aunt, who had not visited her folks for twenty years.

HAL. and MEL.

Forty-third Convention of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf

Judged by attendance, enthusiasm, enjoyment or financial return—choose your own criterion—the forty-third convention of the P. S. A. D., held at Mt. Airy, August 30-September 2, was the most successful in the long history of cooperative effort carried on by the deaf in Pennsylvania. In conjunction with this convention was a reunion of the Pennsylvania Institution Alumni Association, and while the business of two bodies was transacted separately, both cooperated to make the joint gathering harmonious and enjoyable and of real worth to the cause of the deaf throughout the state.

The attendance was not only large, being well over the thousand mark, but it was also surprisingly cosmopolitan. The number coming from blase Gotham was an eye-opener, and nearby States such as New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, and the District of Columbia, were well represented. And to make it unanimous, there were visitors from Massachusetts, Virginia, Florida, Ohio, Oklahoma, California, and even one from far-off Panama. Evidently, our doings are not so obscure as we had imagined. The proof of the pudding was the legion of fine cars parked about the Institution, and bearing multifarious and multicolored license plates. It was an auto show all by itself.

SEPTEMBER 30TH

The convention was formally opened Friday, September 30th, with a joint meeting of the P.S.A.D. and the P.I.D. Alumni in the chapel of Wissinoming Hall. Pres. Edwin C. Ritchie of the P.S.A.D. and Pres. Chas. Clark of the Alumni jointly presided.

After invocation by the Rev. Edward F. Kaercher, recently ordained Lutheran minister to the deaf, the two bodies were formally welcomed to the institution in a gracious address by First Vice-President Halsey. President Joseph H. Burroughs being unable to attend because of illness.

Mr. Halsey was followed by Dr. E. A. Gruver, Superintendent of the Institution, who added his own welcome to that of Mr. Halsey, and outlined various conditions, both favorable and unfavorable, at present confronting the school and effecting its future development. He made an earnest plea for our interest and cooperation in the education of the deaf in Pennsylvania. Dr. Gruver is a sympathetic gentleman, at once both practical and well-informed on matters relating to the deaf, and one could not but feel that the school is in good hands.

President Ritchie, in a brief but cogent discourse, outlined the progress of the P.S.A.D. during the past year and made a number of helpful recommendations for the future. The full text of his address is given below.

Friends and Members of the P. S. A. D.:

A new Convention year is open before us. We at this immediate time cannot foretell what our record of progress will be, but we might be able to give an approximate result if we knew positively that every member had determined to make a just contribution of time, effort and cooperation.

I appreciate the evidence of trust as expressed by your Board at Pittsburgh in again calling me to lead the Society. To me it means an opportunity to render better service than I have ever rendered before, and the service is my expression of gratitude for the confidence reposed in me. Through your support and cooperation, the P. S. A. D. has been strengthened materially as well as financially and I am proud of the results attained by our joint and unselfish efforts, which have resulted in a forward movement. The impetus we have gained cannot fail to reflect additional honor and credit on the faithful workers of our charitable institution the coming year.

DONATION DAY

You should at this moment be reminded of our Annual Donation Day, October 5th. We extend a sincere appreciation to all who were instrumental in making possible our splendid increase last year. Donation Day receipts have been better and bettered the past few years. In 1927 our attainment was \$889.77 and last year's achievement was \$889.77. Let us now aim at \$1,000, but be reminded that great gains are easily and usually followed by depressions, hence we should not belittle the problem of holding up our progressive stride. If you recall how little you gave to make up the huge sum of \$889.77 last year, we are certain you will agree an aim of \$1,000 for next October 5th, is easy of accomplishment. It should be not how much we give, but how many of us give. Few if any donations come in of our own accord. Most of us must be personally called on. A task in itself with our widely scattered membership. What we keenly appreciate, is to receive donations of your own free will, sent to H. Ray Snyder, Chairman of Donation Day Committee, 906½ North Seventh Street, Allentown, Pa., and remember the scriptural promise that if we cast our bread upon the

waters, it will return to us. Emulating the Boy Scouts, we can daily do some good, and that act of goodness will some day return to us in another way, and if it does not reach us it will reach someone we love. A charity dollar can never be lost.

BOOSTER CLUBS

Optimism still prevails among the Booster Clubs, now in the fifth and final lap. During the fiscal year \$820 was received from the club members, but it still leaves a ratio of 1 to 6 paid-up. We urge that during this convention the ratio be changed appreciably, so we can enjoy adequate momentum at the start of the final lap.

FINANCIAL REPORT

The conclusion of another fiscal year permits me to state we have had one of our healthiest years financially. The statement, however, should not be construed to mean that we are getting the full results that should be ours. While some of our branches have been accomplishing things with regularity, others may have fallen by the wayside. The report of our auditors shows \$9,367.09 receipts and \$8,524 expenditures, showing our receipts were \$842.58 above expenses. Our Treasurer, who has had little if any bookkeeping experience, was commended on the excellent condition of his books by the auditors and I desire to repeat that commendation.

YOUTH FOR LEADERSHIP

The passing of Robert M. Ziegler, a founder, and Mrs. A. L. E. Grouter and Mrs. M. J. Syle during the past year, makes it more evident that we have an important proposition confronting us if we are to maintain our efficient organization. The subject is securing youth of today for leadership tomorrow. It is plain that our young generation should be given a correct picture of our good and useful purposes and spirit of helpfulness, and only by examples can that correct picture be produced for youth to imitate. What our founders planted over forty-five years ago, we must ever water and trust in God to grant the growth.

AUXILIARIES—BRANCHES

At Pittsburgh, a year ago, a resolution was offered and passed that your president endeavor to form Ladies' Auxiliaries in various sections of the state. After communicating with leaders in divers sections, the idea was abandoned as already there existed too many organizations. While the endeavor to organize these auxiliaries did not succeed, much good has come out of the effort in the way of awakening an interest in more than one local branch, notably Lancaster County Branch. A most surprising accomplishment was Lancaster's social that netted over one hundred dollars. Hazleton seems to have taken a new lease on life and is interested in securing a convention there. Harrisburg and Reading have been especially active this past year.

ENDOWMENT FUND

Our Endowment Fund has continued its upward trend and has now reached \$33,000. There is \$50,000 in trust of Mary C. Atchison Fund, from which we derive only the income, which amounts to some \$2,700 a year. Were it not for this assistance we would be unable to care for our large family. Efficient as is the management of our Home, operation costs are \$8,000 a year or slightly less than \$320 per resident, based on the usual family of twenty-five to thirty. We are still obliged to turn down applicants at times for lack of funds. An Endowment Fund of \$200,000 should be our aim, which would enable us to care for all who seek a haven in our Home at Torresdale.

VALUED SERVICE

The Society cannot fail to notice the inherent value of the services given by the Committee on Management of the Home. To each and every member of the committee we owe a debt of gratitude. Mr. J. A. McIlvaine, Jr., after serving many years as a trustee and lately as Chairman of the Committee, has been succeeded by Mr. Barton Sensenig, whom most of us know as a teacher or principal in the Advanced Department of the Mt. Airy school. Mr. McIlvaine kindly consented to remain on the Committee and I know you all will want to join me in expressing appreciation for the long and useful service he has rendered.

SPIRIT OF PITTSBURGH

I cannot permit the continued loyalty among the deaf of Pittsburgh and vicinity to pass unnoticed in this annual report. The atmosphere of the Convention held there last year gave a surprising evidence of enthusiastic interest on the part of members far removed from the scene of our greatest activity, Torresdale. We plead that this spirit of Pittsburgh ever continue and spread.

THE SOCIETY NEWS

The revival of our publicity organ, the Pennsylvania Society News, was effected last fall. If any member is missing it, we may have your wrong address, so it is up to you to notify us of your change of address. There is but one regret, and it is that so few of us are sending in material to make up the paper. The editor has tented up most of every issue single-handed, which is hardly proper. He has often been complimented, yet seldom criticized, and now is ready for a change. In place of compliments or criticism, he is looking forward to receiving of our time, opportunity and "charity" to send local news for forthcoming issues.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, permit me to say our year has been good, but all good things can be bettered. Betterment is ours to do. Will each of us carry away from this most delightful convention a determination and will to do just part of the work—furthering the prestige of the Society? We will be my fervent prayer. "Join the P. S. A. D.—it's good."

President Clark of the Alumni next took the floor, and delivered his annual address summarizing the work of his association.

(President Clark's address will be printed next week.)

Both addresses were ably interpreted by Mr. L. E. Berg, son of the well-known deaf teacher of Indiana and Steward of the Institution. For the P.S.A.D., Pres. Ritchie appointed the following committees: On Resolutions—Messrs. Teegarden, Kaercher and Lipsett.

On Nominations—Messrs. Sanders, Friend and Young.

On Enrollment—The Mrs. Rols-house, Delp and L. Berger, and the Misses Zelch, Sasaman, Ahrens and Schoenenberger.

Pres. Clark made the following appointments for the Alumni:—

Auditors—Messrs. Mulligan and Young.

Resolutions—Messrs. Kepp, Sanders and La Rocco.

The meeting ended with a general get-together reception given by Supt. and Mrs. Gruver, which was most enjoyable, and a wiggling of reminiscent elbows that extended into the hours of the milkman.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31.

The high note of the convention was reached Saturday morning, with the Annual business meeting of the Pennsylvania Society for the Advancement of the Deaf. With President Ritchie in the chair, the meeting ran from start to conclusion like a well-oiled clock. The habit of gab for gab's sake, or merely to get one's name in the papers was wholly *in absentia*, and "strictly business" was the order of the day. It required scarcely more than an hour to go over the weighty business of the society, including the election of officers. This we believe is a record.

After invocation by Rev. Henry J. Pulver, the meeting at once got down to the consideration of the Annual Reports of the Board of Managers, the Treasurer, the Committee on Management of the Home, and the Secretary. All were presented in printed form, and having been read previously by the members, were immediately accepted. The most interesting of the reports was that of the Treasurer, presented in the form prepared by a firm of certified accountants. The accountants highly praised the systematic condition of the Treasurer's records. The report itself disclosed that the Society and its subsidiary, the Home, are in excellent financial health. It is gratifying to state that is now only one organization of the deaf in the world that is in stronger financial condition than our Society, and this is an insurance body, not an altruistic organization such as ours.

Upon their names being presented by the Committee on Nominations, the following were elected to serve as Managers for a three-year term: Miss Dora Heim, of Kane; Mr. Frank A. Leitner, of Pittsburgh; Mr. Wm. H. Lipsett, of Philadelphia, and Rev. Edward F. Kaercher, of Philadelphia.

The Board then recessed for reorganization and re-elected all its officers, these being as follows: President, Edwin C. Ritchie, of Reading; 1st Vice-President, Wm. H. Lipsett, of Philadelphia; 2nd Vice-President, Frank A. Leitner, of Pittsburgh; Secretary, Henry J. Pulver, of Millersburg; Treasurer, Chas. A. Kepp, of Philadelphia.

Upon reconvening, the Committee on Resolutions brought in its report, expressing for the most part the thanks of the Society to the officers of the Institution and to the Local Committee for the splendid entertainment provided the convention. The work of the Ladies Committee of the P.S.A.D. and the Ladies' Committee of the P.I.D. on behalf of the Home were warmly commended. Upon motion of Mr. John Friend, of Pittsburgh, a resolution was passed in favor of clear and graceful use of the sign language.

The reports of various local branches were considered, chief in interest being those of Reading and Philadelphia, both showing large financial returns. In proportion to its size, Reading seems to have raised more money for the Society and the Home than any other city in the State. At the conclusion of the reports, the President held a session of the "good-givers," during which several hundred dollars were donated to the Home. The meeting then adjourned *sine die*.

In the afternoon a bus excursion was made to visit the Swedenborgian Cathedral, in Glen Athyn, a truly impressive work of architecture. Simultaneously, there was a ball game on the school diamond between the S. A. C. and the Mt. Airy A. A.

The evening was given over to a grand charity ball in the splendid new gymnasium of the Institution. This building, the finest of its kind in America, provided an ideal setting for these why wished to unlimber their joints, whilst the affair garnered over \$300 for the Home.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st

The Memorial Service held Sunday morning in the chapel of Wissinoming Hall, in charge of the Rev. Edward F. Kaercher, demonstrated feelingly that the deaf are not as unmindful of their friends as is occasionally claimed by some uninformed individual. Before a large optience that filled the chapel to overflowing, fitting honors were paid to the memory of departed friends of the Society. In glowing words, the lives and service of Robert M. Ziegler, Mrs. June Yale Crouter and Mrs. Margaret J. Syle, were set forth by Mr. Wm. H. Lipsett, Mr. J. A. McIlvaine and Miss Gertrude Downey, respectively.

A meeting of the Alumni of the Institution was held in the chapel of Wissinoming Hall in the evening, with Pres. Clark, of Scranton, in the chair. After the reading of various reports, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. Edward F. Kaercher; Secretary, Hugh Cusack; Treasurer, Chas. A. Kepp.

GIFT TO MISS HESS

The focus in interest of the evening, in fact, of the whole convention, was the presentation of a gift to Miss Carrie Hess, Matron of the Institution and devoted friend of the deaf throughout the State. Acting for both associations, President Ritchie, of the P. S. A. D., in a few well chosen words, told of Miss

Hess' splendid years of service to the school, to the Home, and to the P. S. A. D., and how she had won the undying esteem of the deaf of Pennsylvania, both by her care of them as children and by her helpful service to them as adults. He then called Miss Hess to the platform and presented to her a little book of hand-made vellum, having inscribed in its flyleaf a fitting tribute, followed by the signatures of those who had contributed the several hundred dollars raised for the gift. The gift itself, he explained, had not yet been purchased, all stores being closed through the Labor Day period.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2.

Labor Day was given over to track and field sports. These, because of the embonpoint and lack of training on the part of some of the contestants took on the appearance of "indoor" sports, but were greatly enjoyed by the puffing athletes and near-athletes. We did not see the end of the show, so we are still wondering what befell the ambitious individuals who elected to race four laps around the institution track, not knowing they had a mile run on their hands. As for us, we were crawling homeward along the Main Line, battling traffic and keeping a weather-eye out for blowouts.

No account of the convention would be complete without a word of appreciation for the hospitable entertainment provided by Supt. Gruver and his able assistants, notably the matron, Miss Carrie Hess. The rooms, cuisine and other arrangements for our comfort could not have been improved upon in a single detail.

And while we are apportioning credit where it is due, we will pat the Local Committee on the back. Led by its hard-working chairman, Joseph V. Donohue, it sweated and toiled, both before and during the convention, to make the affair the best in the Society's history.

HENRY J. PULVER,
Secretary

What British Employers Think.

Turning from our friends across the sea, we come to our own deaf in industry, and almost without exception, meet with the same gratifying results.

Recently Mr. G. A. Schofield, Superintendent of the Manchester Institute, amply bore out the claim that employers prefer deaf and dumb workers.

In an interview, he said: "Employers prefer deaf and dumb workers on the grounds that the are more intelligent, more conscientious and more rapid than the normal worker." Mr. Schofield added that one of the most important Manchester manufacturing firms had expressed a wish in all good faith, "that all their employees were deaf and dumb."

Mr. Schofield went on to say: "Deaf and dumb workers are extraordinarily rapid. There seems to be a divine law of compensation, and the deaf have over and over again proved themselves more intelligent and conscientious over their work than normal people."

"Considering the unemployment in Manchester, we have a small number of our members who are out of work."

"Once an employer has taken a deaf man and got used to him, he will always be willing to take another. I have found no exception to this rule."

Mr. Schofield said he had been notified by one of the biggest Manchester firms that a deaf and dumb employee who had been on trial for a couple of months, had proved entirely satisfactory.

"They know that they are up against a waste of time in gossiping," concluded Mr. Schofield.

Mr. Schofield's statement can be substantiated by others who have the task of placing the deaf in industry.—*British Deaf Times*.

Teeth and Tusks in Sale

Elephant tusks, hippopotamus teeth and rhinoceros horns changed owners in a sale held recently at Antwerp, Belgium. In all, more than 140,000 pounds of ivory, 2,400 pounds of teeth and 286 pounds of horn were sold. Teeth suitable for making billiard balls, and known as "billiard teeth," were in some demand.

The word dime is of French origin. It is a contraction of *dixieme*, which means a tenth; dime has come to mean a tenth of a dollar.

Let us be air-minded but, if possible, not lighter than air-minded.—*Ohio State Journal*.

ILLINOIS

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT, ANN A. MCGANN AT THE ILLINOIS ALUMNI ASSOCIATION AUGUST 30, 1929—JACKSONVILLE, ILL.

Your president takes pride in addressing this 13th alumni reunion of the Illinois State School for the Deaf, to point out causes for making it a memorable triumphal jubilee.

For one of the very few times in the history of American Deafdom, the deaf have succeeded in ousting a grossly incompetent head of a large State school, and replaced him with an experienced man and educator.

The alumni who had a hand in this change, rejoice in now welcoming Mr. Dan T. Cloud to the post of managing officer of our alma mater. We are happy that it is possible to hold our triennial reunion in such an ideal place as the spot where we made the old friendship we are now renewing. We may once again reminisce on old acquaintanceships, and the old school-day joys and possibly some disasters. I sincerely regret it had to be through the untimely death of our beloved friend and elected-president, Mr. Chester C. Codman, that I inherited the office as head of the alumni association. However, it gave me great pleasure to be in a position to render active service in behalf of the school—and the welfare of the deaf in general.

When I succeeded to the office in December of 1926, our school was in a deplorable condition. The deaf children were in charge of a managing officer with neither the educative qualification nor experience essential to such an important post. A change of management was absolutely necessary in order to insure the proper education and upbringing of Illinois' future deaf generation. Towards that end, the administration of our alumni association—with the help of President Arthur L. Roberts, of the National Association of the Deaf—put up a long and strenuous fight. Fortunately residing in Chicago, I received invaluable aid, suggestion and advice from Mr. Roberts. With such heartening encouragement from our national leader, the work was carried on fearlessly, confidently and to success. In this, our hour of victory, let us extend to him and his organization our sincere heartfelt thanks.

In this historical campaign to better conditions at our school we made use of the services of Mr. W. S. Camp—discharged printing instructor—who had an intimate knowledge of all conditions prevailing in the Institution—as our chief representative in carrying on the battle. He received much financial aid from the deaf of the state. His fearlessness in exposing every form of graft in the school, was largely responsible for eventful victory. To him, also, our thanks are due.

At the end of the episode I had a cash balance of \$125 left over in my hands, which—on advice I considered fit and proper (and which I still consider fit and proper)—I turned over to the treasurer of our alumni association. This money was not collected for any special person; it was collected to aid the school in serious difficulties. My administration has always worked for the best interests of the school, and I did all I possibly could to get an experienced man appointed head of our institution.

The last two managing officers—Col. John W. Reig and Col. Frank D. Whipp, while not experienced in work among the deaf, nevertheless did their best to elevate the school to the proud place it once occupied. It is evident we deaf have found a long-awaited friend in Col. Whipp. All indications were he would eventually have made a great executive officer and desirable superintendent. No one was quite happy when merited promotion removed him from us.

However, even in his elevation to a more desirable post, Col. Whipp did not forget us and our needs; recognizing the advisability of an experienced educator, he made good use of his post as Acting-Director of Public Welfare to accomplish the desired end, by exerting all his influence with Governor Emmerson. For this he has our high-admiration and devout thanks. We are exceedingly grateful to the Governor for complying with our earnest wishes, by appointing Mr. Daniel T. Cloud to the managing officership. I believe Superintendent Cloud will make a splendid record, and be able to elevate the school to a higher plane.

To Superintendent Cloud I earnestly recommend employment of a number of capable and competent deaf men and women, to instruct the children out of school and lead their literary activities. The present generation displays no grace in using the sign-language; they lack individuality or originality in signing. Their company tends towards boredom.

I strongly recommend that the alumni build up our treasury, and expend the money only for worthy purposes. None can tell when funds will be badly needed. It has been my sad experience that an empty treasury is a serious embarrassment in a crisis. Any balance, or residue, of local committees—after paying all reunion expenses—must be promptly turned over to the treasurer as an emergency fund.

This thirteenth reunion is also unusual in being the occasion of the successful culmination of the labor of countless years—seeing the formal unveiling of the Philip Goode Gillett

Memorial tablet in the wall of the main building, just inside the main entrance.

I desire to express my deep thanks to the officers and members of our alumni association for their faithful cooperation throughout my term as president, without which no success would have been possible. I desire to make especial mention of our most efficient secretary—Mrs. Frederick Fawcner. Her willingness to promptly carry out orders to the letter; her keeping me posted on the latest and most minute developments in the situation; induced and enabled me to take continued and active service in all matters touching on the welfare of the school and of the deaf.

We are fortunate in our selection of a chairman of the local committee, Mr. Robey Burns having taken great pains to make this an enjoyable and record-breaking convention. His confers on the committee also merit the thanks of the assembly. I trust and expect all here find every arrangement satisfactory.

In closing, permit me to thank Col. Whipp, and the Department of Public Welfare for making this happy occasion possible. Last, but not least, our thanks go to the institution household straight down the line; and to those loyal friends not of the household who also all merit personal mention, for their interest and aid in our reunion, as well as for our work for the school and the general welfare of the deaf.

Some Facts About Rainbows

Rainbows are produced by rays of light passing through numerous drops of water during a shower or local rainstorm.

The rays of light usually producing the rainbow are from the sun, and the sun must be less than forty-five degrees above the horizon, to have the proper angle to produce the bow. If the sun is higher, it does not cast its rays in such a way as to raise the bow above the horizon opposite to the sun. The lower the sun is toward the horizon, the higher the top of the bow will go, and the farther apart will be the ends of the beautiful bow.

The moon can shine bright enough in some parts of the earth to produce rays that will make a bow in the dark sky opposite to the moon.

A rainbow is rarely seen at night, and some people look upon such phenomena as supernatural.

The drops of water through which the light is shining have to be between the person observing the bow and the cloud opposite the sun.

The sun in the western sky always casts the bow to the east.

The writer has read the statement that it is impossible for a rainbow to occur at noon, or near that hour.

In Canada and the northern portions of the United States, and in other northern portions of the earth, during the shorter days of winter, the sun is far enough to the southward to produce a rainbow, if there was a shower of rain to aid in the production of the bow.

On Christmas Day, quite a few years ago, the weather was mild, and, at noon, there was a dark cloud in the north, and the sun shone out bright in the south, and all at once, where the writer was at that time, there was a shower of rain, and in a few moments one of the most beautiful rainbows ever seen was plainly visible in the north. The days were at about their shortest length at that time, and the sun was low enough toward the southern horizon, to cast quite a high bow northward.

Rainbows are quite often witnessed early in the morning, when there is a shower westward and bright sunshine to the east. This does not occur as often as it does in the evening.

Brilliant searchlights thrown on a shower, or upon the fog or mist arising from Niagara, or at other water falls, will sometimes produce a pretty rainbow of delicate tints.

The second bow, or what is known to some as the shadow of a rainbow, is sometimes produced when the light is right and the drops of rain are quite large and not too thick in the air.

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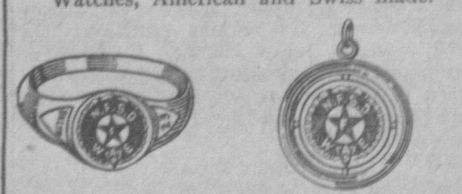
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